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11. (SBU) Econ Counselor raised reftel demarche with Hassan Hami, Chief of Division of Arab and Islamic Organizations at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on November 7. Hami declined substantive comment on the issue, indicating that it is being handled directly at a higher level by Mohammed Azeroual, the Ministry's Director General of Multilateral Relations and Global Cooperation, who is currently on travel. We will pursue the issue with him on his return to Morocco the week of November 13.

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